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SAM NEWHOUSE, REPORTER

In Philadelphia, a recent report found that just 16 percent of fatal car crashes where a "vulnerable" victim (a biker, pedestrian or motorcyclist) is killed by a car result in criminal charges against the driver. But in a rare exception to that rule, on Wednesday Philly DA Larry Krasner announced his office will file charges against the garbage truck driver who in November 2017 turned right on Spruce Street, crashing into a 24-year-old cyclist biking to work. Krasner's office has taken flack before for not charging a motorist who killed an 11-year-old cyclist, but in this case, Krasner said the evidence led prosecutors to conclude the driver was negligent and caused the death of Emily Fredricks. Read it all inside.

## Trump touts rapport with Kim, 'satisfied' with talks

**1** President Donald Trump hailed "a very special relationship" with North Korean leader Kim Jong-un as they met in Vietnam for a second summit on Wednesday and said he was satisfied with the pace of denuclearization talks despite some criticism they were not moving quickly enough. The president appeared upbeat with Kim even as on the other side of the world in Washington, his former personal lawyer Michael Cohen called Trump a "con man" who knew in advance about the release of stolen emails aimed at hurting his Democratic rival in the 2016 election campaign. "Great meetings" and a "very good dialogue," Trump said on Twitter after dinner with Kim at Hanoi's French-colonial-era Metropole hotel, while the White House said the two planned to sign a "joint agreement" after further talks on Thursday.

## World's smallest baby boy goes home from hospital

**2** A baby boy weighing just 9.45 ounces at birth was sent home after months in a Tokyo hospital, the smallest surviving male baby in the world, Keio University hospital said. The boy was born through Caesarean section last August after he failed to gain weight during the pregnancy and doctors feared his life was in danger. The boy was in intensive care until his weight reached 3.2 kilograms and he was discharged on Feb. 20, said Dr. Takeshi Arimitsu of the university's School of Medicine, Department of Paediatrics. "I am grateful that he has grown this big because, honestly, I wasn't sure he could survive," the boy's mother told Reuters. The previous record was held by a boy born in Germany in 2009 weighing 274 grams, according to the Tiniest Babies registry managed by the University of Iowa.

## At least 20 dead in Egypt train crash

**3** Firefighters and onlookers gather at the scene of a fiery train crash at the Egyptian capital Cairo's main railway station on Wednesday which killed at least 20 people, Egyptian security and medical sources said. The accident, which sparked a major blaze at the Ramses station, also injured 40 others, the sources said.

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## FedEx to test delivery robot with Walmart, Pizza Hut

**4** FedEx Corp. this summer plans to begin testing a robot to handle home deliveries for partners ranging from Walmart Inc. to Pizza Hut. Shippers, retailers and restaurants are experimenting with robots, drones and self-driving cars in a bid to use automation to drive down the high cost of delivering gadgets, groceries and even cups of coffee the "last mile" to consumer doorsteps. The battery-powered robots look like coolers on wheels. Cameras and software help them detect and avoid obstacles as they roam sidewalks and roadways at a top speed of 10 miles per hour. The project must win approval in test cities, including the shipper's hometown of Memphis, and the first deliveries will be between FedEx office stores.

## French sports store pulls hijab for women joggers

**5** A French sporting goods chain pulled a hijab for women joggers from its shelves after it came under fire from politicians and on social media. Decathlon's "hijab de running" — a nylon hood designed to allow Muslim women to cover their hair while jogging — sparked outrage in France as politicians across the political spectrum said it was a violation of French principles on secularism. After days of acrimonious public debate and virulent criticism on social media, the sports retailer said in a statement late on Tuesday it had suspended the sale of the item in France over concerns about the safety of its staff, which it said had been insulted and threatened on social media. French Justice Minister Nicole Belloubet said on Wednesday that sports stores are free to sell the running hijab and that there are no legal objections.

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Emily Fredricks, 24, was killed in a bike crash in Center City in November 2017. PROVIDED

# Garbage truck driver charged with 2017 cyclist death

A commercial truck driver was charged with manslaughter after crossing into a bike lane and killing a cyclist.

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Philadelphia DA Larry Krasner announced Wednesday that commercial driver Jorge Fretts had been arrested and charged with involuntary manslaughter and reckless endangerment of another person for the November 2017 death of cyclist Emily Fredricks.

Fredricks, 24, an aspiring chef who worked at a Center City bakery, was killed early one weekday morning while biking to work near 11th and Spruce streets after Fretts' garbage truck turned into her.

"This is that extraordinary case where you're traveling way too fast in conditions that won't tolerate it, or you've basically eliminated your capacity by hearing, by vision and by not following reasonable procedures for the driving of a truck," Krasner said. "The intent rises from mere accident to what we consider criminal intent. We are as serious as we can possibly be about being fair to all entities and individuals involved in an accident and just trying to get to the truth."

Fredricks was wearing a helmet and riding in the Spruce Street bike lane when she was hit by a Gold Medal Environmental garbage truck turning right. Activists later said the intersection had lacked clearly demarcated bike lanes.

Video from inside the truck indicated Fretts was wearing earbuds in violation of Pennsylvania law and was looking down at paperwork in the center console area of his vehicle during the accident.

Since Fredricks' death, her parents Richard and Laura Fredicks have been active in advocating for cyclists' rights. "Our amazing Emily was a gift to us and all those she met during her life that was cut so tragically short," the family said in a statement responding to the criminal charges. "While we commend the work of law enforcement, and put our faith in the justice system, we mourn her loss every moment of every day, and pray for the safety of others who walk and bike on our streets."

A lawsuit filed by Fredricks' family ended in a $6 million settlement, which also called for five $125,000 contributions to Philly road safety advocacy organizations. Settlement terms also included driver safety reforms at Gold Medal, including an enhanced safety training curriculum and visits from Fredricks' parents to speak to drivers and managers about the consequences of safe driving.

The charges against Fretts come just days after a study released by Bicycle Coalition of Greater Philadelphia (BCGP) found that 16 percent of motorists are charged after fatal accidents involving "vulnerable" victims — identified as pedestrians, bicyclists or motorists.

"Until yesterday, no charges [had been] brought against the driver," a Gold Medal rep said via email. "As the new operator/owner, GME reinforces the company's commitment to proactive training and enhanced safety standards."

The BCGP study was initiated after Krasner's office declined to file charges against the motorist who killed 11-year-old Julian Angelucci as he rode his bike in South Philadelphia.

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# At least 70 youths are removed from Glen Mills over abuse claims

Glen Mills Schools. PROVIDED

SAM NEWHOUSE

Shockwaves are being felt across the nation after revelations of persistent physical abuse of students at a Delaware County reform school for boys were uncovered by a Philadelphia Inquirer investigation.

Now, young people from around the country and Pennsylvania are being pulled from Glen Mills Schools, reputedly the oldest reform and boarding school in the nation, as the school faces investigations by state and federal authorities over allegations of physical abuse stretching back decades and allegedly covered up by school leaders.

"The recent reporting is incredibly disturbing and we are reviewing those reports very closely," Ali Fogarty, spokeswoman for the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, said via email on Wednesday. "DHS will work to do whatever it must to stop this culture of silence, intimidation and mistreatment of children."

DHS is "actively monitoring the facility and student safety," Fogarty added, as an investigation is ongoing into an August 2018 incident in which a 17-year-old male from Philadelphia was allegedly severely attacked by two counselors, reportedly over perceived disrespect during a group discussion. The two counselors were later charged with aggravated assault by the Delaware County DA.

But the most recent Inquirer investigation, "Beaten, then Silenced," published online last week, alleges that the school hired bodybuilders instead of teachers to serve the juvenile delinquents who were boarded there. Attacks dating back decades were documented, some completely random, others over minor slights from students to counselors. Members of the student body, all male and aged 12 to 21, describe suffering severe injuries and being left traumatized by the violence.

"Glen Mills disputes virtually all the allegations and conclusions reported in the article, but we are willing to allow external reviewers to reach their own conclusions," a spokeswoman for the school said via email. "The Glen Mills School is committed to an independent and thorough analysis of our current operations. That is why prior to the release of the Inquirer article, we announced the formation of a panel composed of highly-regarded experts in their field to review our operations and identify areas where we can do even better."

The panel will be co-chaired by Leslie M. Gomez, a former Juvenile Court Unit chief at the Philly DA's office, and Elfreda Massie, a former superintendent of Washington, D.C. public schools.

**"We have and continue to demand better treatment of youth. We are working with the court on evaluating any future use of Glen Mills."**

**DHS Spokeswoman**

"It is imperative that we grant this highly respected, independent panel the time needed to do their work and provide their assessment," Glen Mills' spokeswoman said.

But this week alone, nearly 70 boys, or one-third of the remaining student body, were being pulled from the school — including boys from Philly; Erie County, Pennsylvania; as well as Michigan, California and Texas, the Inquirer reported.

Since the July 23, 2018, incident, Philadelphia's Department of Human Services (DHS) has ceased sending Philly juveniles to Glen Mills. At that time, 143 Philly youths were at the reform school; by this week, that number had been reduced to 46.

"We have and continue to demand better treatment of youth. We are working with the court on evaluating any future use of Glen Mills," a DHS spokeswoman said via email.

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Michael Cohen testifying in court. REUTERS

# Cohen assails Trump but gives no direct evidence of collusion

"He is a racist, he is a con man and he is a cheat," Cohen said of the president.

President Donald Trump's former personal lawyer Michael Cohen accused him of breaking the law while in office and said for the first time that Trump knew in advance about a WikiLeaks dump of stolen emails that hurt his 2016 election rival Hillary Clinton.

In a dramatic televised hearing in Congress on Wednesday, Cohen said Trump approved hush payments to cover up extramarital sexual relationships in violation of campaign finance laws, and signed a personal check for $35,000 in 2017 to reimburse Cohen for at least one of those payments.

Cohen, 52, was a close aide of Trump for years and his testimony could increase the legal and political pressure on the Republican president, but he did not appear to reveal a "smoking gun" that would sink his former boss.

Cohen told a House of Representatives committee he had no direct evidence that Trump or his campaign colluded with Moscow during the election campaign.

Possible collusion is a key theme of Special Counsel Robert Mueller's Russia investigation, which has dogged the president during his two years in office. Trump has repeatedly denied the allegation as has the Kremlin.

Assailing the president as a "con man" and a "cheat," Cohen said Trump knew ahead of time about WikiLeaks' release of emails in 2016 that undermined Democrat Clinton's presidential bid.

He also said Trump directed negotiations for a real estate project in Moscow during the White House race even as he publicly said he had no business interests in Russia.

"I wouldn't use the word colluding," Cohen said of Trump's dealings with Russia, adding that there was "something odd" about the president's good relationship with Russian President Vladimir Putin.

The White House had no comment on Cohen's testimony but Trump earlier on Wednesday accused his former employee of lying.

"He did bad things unrelated to Trump. He is lying in order to reduce his prison time," Trump tweeted from Vietnam, where he was meeting with North Korean leader Kim Jong-un.

Republican lawmakers at the hearing tried to undermine Cohen, portraying him as an irredeemable liar who had benefited from financial crimes he pleaded guilty to last year, and saying the hearing was an opening gambit in a Democratic push to impeach Trump.

**"The more people that follow Mr. Trump as I did blindly are going to suffer the same consequences that I am suffering."**

**Michael Cohen**

"I don't believe Michael Cohen is capable of telling the truth," said Republican Rep. James Comer.

Cohen was mostly calm and contrite under the heated questioning from Republicans, and cautioned them not to make the same mistake he did in protecting Trump.

"I did the same thing as you're doing now, for 10 years. I protected Mr. Trump for 10 years," Cohen told the committee hearing. "The more people that follow Mr. Trump as I did blindly are going to suffer the same consequences that I am suffering."

Cohen was one of Trump's closest aides and fiercest defenders, working with him on business and personal deals for a decade. REUTERS

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# THE LIES OF LIARS

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ANALYSIS

**TOM FOREMAN**

With eyes shooting daggers and scowls at full tilt, Republicans tore into President Trump's former lawyer as he testified on Capitol Hill — calling him a criminal, an opportunist, a disloyal flunky out to malign the paramount president of an age. I'm paraphrasing a bit, but that's pretty much how they summed up Michael Cohen as his testimony began. And then it got nasty.

Their central thrust is simple: Cohen is a liar.

When Cohen says Donald Trump knew about payments to keep women quiet about alleged affairs; that he encouraged Cohen to lie to Congress; noting that he openly disparaged African-Americans; and that he was playing footsie with the Russians during the campaign, Trump loyalists howl that no one should believe him because, well, again he is a liar.

They're not wrong. In short order Cohen will begin serving a three-year prison sentence for fraud, violating campaign finance laws, and yes, telling lies to the U.S. Senate. He is admittedly and categorically a liar. Here is the thing, though: Cohen insists the lies he previously told were at the command of, in service of and paid for by Donald J. Trump. Fact-checking journalists (like me) have identified lies told by Trump time and again. And bear in mind, many of the people accusing Cohen of lying now readily accepted his lies when they were told to help Trump.

Yeah, I know, having a room full of politicians railing about the lack of honesty in D.C. is rich — especially these days.

Still, what is a fair-minded voter to make of this room filled with alleged lies, liars and possibly liars lying about who is lying? Does the handful of documents Cohen produced substantially prove his claims? It's hard to say. But there is this: Much of what Cohen said was merely another layer of confirmation of already-established stories about Trump, his private and professional dealings, and his quest for the White House. And if moderate voters believe even a little of his testimony more than they believe the denials, it could torpedo Trump's re-election bid and poison his party's hopes.

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Sully the service dog of late former U.S. President George H.W. Bush lies in front of Bush's casket as it lies in state inside the U.S. Capitol Rotunda on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C., on Dec. 4, 2018. ALL REUTERS IMAGES

# Sully, George H. W. Bush's dog, starts job with US service members, veterans

The canine caretaker is now the hospital "foreman" at Walter Reed National Medical Center.

Lifting his thick paw to shake, the late former President George H.W. Bush's service dog took an oath to serve at Walter Reed National Medical Center on Wednesday, embarking on a new job helping disabled American veterans and active-duty service members.

Sully H. W. Bush became famous as canine caretaker and constant companion to the 41st U.S. president in the final stages of his life. In the Capitol Rotunda after Bush's death in 2018, Sully faithfully laid down beside Bush's casket.

**"Sully will go on to spread his love at Walter Reed Hospital. He was a loving companion when my Gampy needed him most."**

**Jenna Bush Hager, Bush's granddaughter**

In his new role as a hospital "foreman" in a Walter Reed facility outside Washington, Sully's duties are to provide support, comfort and cheer to wounded veterans, their families and facility staff, thus reducing stress and increasing positive feelings, the medical center said.

"Sully will go on to spread his love at Walter Reed Hospital. He was a loving companion when my Gampy needed him most," Jenna Bush Hager, Bush's granddaughter, posted on Twitter on Thursday.

The yellow Labrador is one of seven dogs working at the facility in Bethesda, Maryland. Collectively, they "average 2,500 contacts and over 200 working hours per month," according to the medical center. He is about 2½ years old, according to America's Vetdogs, the organization that trained him.

During the ceremony, which was posted in a video on Facebook, Sully prompted laughter from the audience when he raised his head and dipped his chest to stretch before taking his oath to care for veterans "without any promise of treats or tummy rubs." Afterwards, he was fitted with a "military uniform," a new vest he will wear while working.

Sully was named after Captain Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger, the pilot who landed a U.S. Airways passenger jet in the Hudson River after both engines lost thrust when the aircraft struck a flock of geese while taking off from New York's LaGuardia Airport. REUTERS

Sully, the yellow Labrador retriever service dog of late former U.S. President George H. W. Bush, arrives at Joint Base Andrews in Maryland.

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**SIDEWALKS IN PHILLY**

At 71, having already suffered a broken hip from a "broken up" sidewalk (several blocks from my home) I walk with great caution (especially around Olney). On my pension I have paid for repairs to the sidewalks at the front and along the eastern side of my "end of the row" home (while not having enough money to go on any vacations, pay for any premium cable channels, nor eating out at restaurants, etc.). Having no vehicle, I must walk/take SEPTA. It is bad enough when sidewalks have broken areas, or are covered with trash/debris/leaves (especially when wet too) etc., but the worst is when they also are intruded upon by overgrown hedges that are left unpruned year after year, leaving very little space to pass, + only a "broken up" surface left to walk on. Philly requires that I shovel a 36" wide path after snow has fallen. I do that. I would like the city to require that all sidewalks provide that same 36" width of sidewalk be neither "broken up" nor covered by overgrowth (like untrimmed hedges). I don't have money for lawyers for suing folks about such matters, but when the city needs money for making safety improvements anyway, perhaps a fine for these unsafe sidewalks, if enforced (like they do for parking, jaywalking, etc.) then folks would be motivated to provide 36" of "safe" sidewalks around their properties.

Casey, Metrophilly reader

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♉ **Taurus** Use your intelligence and charm to get ahead. The work you put in will pay off.

♊ **Gemini** Pay closer attention to your needs, and make changes that will improve your life and relationships.

♋ **Cancer** Don't disregard your ideas. Offering a different point of view will intrigue someone you want to get to know.

♌ **Leo** Anger will lead to trouble, but hard work and personal change will lead to opportunity.

♍ **Virgo** Learn from past mistakes and feel confident about your path. How you deal with partners and peers will make a difference.

♎ **Libra** Assess your situation to figure out a way to deal with people who are pressuring you. Change may be needed.

♏ **Scorpio** Participate, travel, set up meetings and express what's on your mind. Take a unique approach to an old idea.

♐ **Sagittarius** Someone will try to make you look bad. Be explicit in your explanation and leave no room for error.

♑ **Capricorn** Don't feel that you must fall in line with everyone else. Be a self-starter and pursue what you feel is in your best interest.

♒ **Aquarius** Keep an open mind. If you mess with someone's plans, you will end up in an argument

♓ **Pisces** Set up guidelines and concentrate on your target. Determination and belief in your abilities will help you.

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# Why *Chiwetel Ejiofor* was inspired to make his directorial debut

The actor talks directing "The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" on Netflix.

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**"IT IS SO HOPEFUL AND OPTIMISTIC, ESPECIALLY SINCE IT IS A STORY FROM A PART OF THE WORLD THAT THERE HASN'T BEEN MUCH OPTIMISTIC CINEMA ABOUT. I WAS REALLY ENGAGED WITH THAT."**
**Chiwetel Ejiofor**

Chiwetel Ejiofor didn't harbor any serious ambition to write and direct before reading "The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind."

Sure, he'd overseen two short films, but he insists to Metro that these were just made "recreationally," as he wanted to "learn more about screenwriting and filmmaking."

But as the Oscar-nominated actor read William Kamkwamba's 2009 book detailing how he built a wind turbine from trees, bicycle parts and scrapyard materials to power electrical appliances in his family's home in Wimbe, Malawi, Ejiofor was "galvanized to pursue screenwriting and directing in a bigger way."

"I was just really inspired by it," recalls Ejiofor, whose parents hail from Nigeria. "It is so hopeful and optimistic, especially since it is a story from a part of the world that there hasn't been much optimistic cinema about. I was really engaged with that, because it felt like I was reading something that really related to me.

"Now, Malawi is very different to Nigeria in both the urban and the rural communities. There isn't a generic Africa. But there are similarities and I could definitely relate to how William spoke about that community. It reminded me of my treks back and forth to Nigeria. That sense of place, connectivity, tradition, culture and familial dynamics that are really strong and authentic and deeply rooted."

Following the huge success of the likes of "Black Panther" and "Crazy Rich Asians," Ejiofor believes "The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" is yet further proof of the power and appeal of diverse movies and stories from across the globe.

"It feels like there is an interest and an engagement with telling stories from different points of view. Because that enriches our overall artistic and culture landscape. That is the charge and challenge of having diversity in cinema, because it can get us into the points of view of different people in different spaces.

"That allows us to further understand all the nuances of the world around us and the people around us. All of that is being embraced and that is a wonderful and hugely positive move for everyone that loves movies and the arts."

Ejiofor not only shot "The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" right in Kamkwamba's hometown of Wimbe, but in

The film is based on the true story of William Kamkwamba.

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the house next door to where the inventor was raised. In fact, the only reason they didn't shoot in Kamkwamba's actual house was because "he had done so much innovation to it over the years."

While this "pronounced the responsibility" of telling this incredible true story, Kamkwamba's exploits also allowed "The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" to explore myriad different themes and subplots, each of which are bitingly timely.

"There are themes in the story about climate change, economics, that people really can relate to in a wider, political way," explains Ejiofor. "That includes conversations on democracy and individualism.

"There's a lot that people can invest in beyond the film's immediate circumstances. All of which makes it feel really urgent and authentic, both within the context of Malawi and 2001. And also in a much larger way beyond that."

*"The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind" debuts on Netflix March 1.*

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# 'Leaving Neverland' makes the case that Michael Jackson was a 'career pedophile'

Director Dan Reed talks us through the explosive HBO documentary.

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Michael Jackson was a "career pedophile" who used very deliberate, manipulative, deceitful and well-organized methods to ensnarl his victims, according to "Leaving Neverland" director Dan Reed.

Reed spent three years working on the explosive HBO documentary, interviewing two of Jackson's alleged victims, Wade Robson and James Safechuck, as well as several members of their families, before taking a deep dive into the investigations against the singer to corroborate their evidence.

"For mothers to come on camera and say in front of millions of people, 'I delivered my son into the clutches of a pedophile and he raped my child repeatedly under my nose.' I don't know any mums that would go on television to say that in order to get a quick buck from the Jackson estate," Reed tells Metro.

"Leaving Neverland" also explores how Jackson convinced the mothers to leave him in a bedroom alone with their children.

"There was a blinding effect of celebrity and all of the trappings," says Reed. "There also wasn't as much talk about pedophilia. It was a more naive time. We have grown a lot less trusting, probably quite rightly because people with power and authority can get away with this stuff. You can't adequately explain why Michael did the things that he did. It wasn't as though he was compelled by a force he couldn't control and then made one or two indiscretions. He was a career pedophile, I think.

"He abused Wade on and off for seven years, James pretty much for five. I believe he had a lot of other victims. He comes across as a very deliberate, manipulative, deceitful, well-organized pedophile who would...rehearse with Wade what he should say when the detective asked him about this, that and the other."

Reed is well aware of how unsettling and horrifying "Leaving Neverland" is to watch, as Robson and Safechuck go into explicit detail about the sexual activities that Jackson coerced and forced them into. But he also knew this approach was integral.

"We said to James and Wade at the start, 'We can't draw a veil over this.

"Leaving Neverland" airs March 3 and 4 on HBO at 8 p.m. HBO

We have to confront the graphic nature and facts of what happened.' We had to establish it was actual sexual abuse and not just inappropriate touching. It wasn't innocent. It was the kind of sexual activity that grown-ups do. But it was being done to a child. And it happened again and again and again."

The Jackson family and estate have been quick to attack the nearly 4-hour-long documentary, insisting that Robson and Safechuck made the allegations for financial gain, while others have criticized the film for being too one-sided.

"I made sure that we included Jackson's denials and the assertions of his innocence. All of these child sexual allegations were categorically denied. When Wade came out in 2013 — we have all these statements from people debunking his comments and supposed awakenings. So it is just not true to say it is one-sided.

"We don't make any allegations against the Jackson family or estate. There is no need to put their rebuttals in the film. Plus, what is the other side to, 'He raped me!' Is it, 'He didn't rape me.' Or, 'It wasn't so bad.' We are ultimately talking about an act where there were only two witnesses. And one of those is dead. If this was a criminal case and we were in court, I think James and Wade and their families would make convincing witnesses."

"Leaving Neverland" airs Sunday, March 3, and Monday, March 4, at 8 p.m. on HBO.

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# Phat *Tuesday*

Celebrate Mardi Gras, Philly-style.

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It's almost time for the bead-filled, feather-frilled colorful holiday that is Mardi Gras, and if you can't make it down to NOLA this year, that's no problem. Some top spots are offering incredible food and drink deals, parties and more to celebrate the carnival celebration.

### Rex 1516

This Southern comfort eatery is kicking their already indulgent menu up a notch by adding some tasty NOLA libations in honor of the holiday. Rex 1516 will be serving up Falernum Hurricanes (aged rum, white rum and the popular Tiki syrup liquor falernum) for $8, and a King Cake Burger (beef patty with cheddar, bacon, lettuce and housemade pickles on a king's cake roll) with a pint of Newbold and shot of Jim Beam's Devil's Cut for $17. *1516 South St., rex1516.com*

### Red Owl Tavern

This Old City hot spot is celebrating Fat Tuesday with an assortment of fun and colorful drink specials. Philadelphians can sip on a King Cake Milk Punch (a smooth drink with brown butter washed bourbon, vanilla dem and nutmeg), a Cafe NOLA (a creamy coffee, praline syrup and cognac mix) and a Sazerac (rye whiskey, absinthe, sugar and Peychaud's bitters) for only $10. *433 Chestnut St., redowltavern.com*

The shrimp and grits at Urban Farmer. PUNCH MEDIA

### Chris' Jazz Cafe

Chris' Jazz Cafe is hosting an all-day celebration in honor of the colorful holiday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Guests who head to the Jazz Cafe on March 5 can indulge in a special Fat Tuesday menu, including free buckets of crawfish for the first 25 guests who order them, crawdad potpie, smoked crawfish cheesecake, a crawfish cheesesteak, crawfish mac & cheese, boiled buckets o' crawdads, gumbo and jambalaya. There will also be plenty of cocktails to indulge in made with delicious aged rums from event sponsor Rhum Clement. The best part? Guests can be in a parade at 6:15 p.m. and strut around Broad and Chestnut with members of The Hoppin' John Orchestra, who will then perform in Chris' Jazz Cafe at 7 p.m. *1421 Sansom St., chrisjazzcafe.com*

### Square 1682

Square 1682 is kicking off their Mardi Gras celebration with a special carnival drink, the Sazerac. But this Center City eatery is taking the drink up a notch by garnishing it with a fluffy fried beignet, a quintessential Mardi Gras and New Orleans sweet treat that tops off the drink with a dusting of powdered sugar. *121 S. 17th St., square1682.com*

### The Bourse

The upscale food hall is celebrating Fat Tuesday all day long with incredible food and drink specials, live jazz music, burlesque, a costume contest and more. Select food vendors will be serving up traditional Cajun-inspired treats including mini King Cakes from Barry's Buns, Sazeracs courtesy of Bluebird Distilling, spicy fried shrimp from Ka'Moon and more starting at 7 a.m. Then, at 7 p.m, Drew Nugent & The Midnight Society, a local jazz ensemble, will parade through the food hall with intermittent performances from Envoute, a Philadelphia-based burlesque troupe. Guests are encouraged to come in their most festive Mardi Gras attire for a contest; the winner will receive a $100 gift card to TAPS Fill Station. *111 S. Independence Mall E., theboursephilly.com*

### Assembly Rooftop Lounge

Assembly Rooftop Lounge is diving into the colorful holiday by offering frozen Hurricanes. The NOLA French Quarter-inspired drink made with dark rum and a tropical combination of fruit juices can be enjoyed for just $14. *1840 Benjamin Franklin Pkwy., assemblyrooftop.com*

### Urban Farmer

Urban Farmer is celebrating Mardi Gras by bringing a quintessential NOLA dish to their menu: Philadelphians can indulge in their shrimp and grits for just $18. The traditional breakfast dish consists of a poached egg with fried shrimp and tasso ham over cheese and creamy grits. The delightful dish will be available all day on March 5. *1850 Benjamin Franklin Pkwy., urbanfarmerphiladelphia.com*

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# 5 Things to do in *Miami Beach*

As soon as you cross the bridge to Miami Beach, you'll realize very quickly that there's a lot to see and do.

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In order to keep you from being overwhelmed and help you plan your trip, we've assembled a list of five of our favorite things to do in Miami Beach. Among them: well-known tourist hot spots and local hideouts; nightlife that'll spike your adrenaline; museums and artwork that will astound and humble you, and of course plenty to eat (and drink) in between those activities.

Here are five great things to do in Miami Beach.

1. Groove out to some reggae at Purdy Lounge, a low-key dance club with some of Miami's best DJs spinning Caribbean music as well as old-school hip-hop. Or drop by for their well-known "Chocolate Sundays," which feature a blender of music genres, cheap drinks, and the weekly Drunken Spelling Bee.

2. Take a tour of the Historic Art Deco District by foot or bike and see more than 800 stunning architectural landmarks from the 1920s and beyond. You can walk yourself through the history or you can take a narrated tour and hear the interesting stories behind the first contemporary neighborhood to be recognized by the National Register of Historic Places.

3. Miami Seaquarium, just minutes from downtown Miami, is the place to see dolphins fly, fearsome moray eels lurk in coral reef caverns, and where shimmering schools of exotic fish dance through underwater seascapes. It's also the only place where you will see the graceful beauty of a Pacific white-sided dolphin and the incredible power of a three-ton killer whale.

4. Stay at Circa 39, located right in the center of Miami Beach, and just minutes away from a number of craft breweries, the trendy arts district, and numerous live music venues., Once you've ventured into the city, kick back and relax with a rum cocktail by the pool at Wunderbar and lounge in the highly instagrammable WunderGarden.

5. Order a croque monsieur and a salad with house speciality vinaigrette at La Sandwicherie, a small sandwich bar that packs a punch with its genuine-tasting French food and its fresh smoothies. Some regard this dive as the best sandwich shop in all of Florida. ROBERT COCANOUGHER

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# Harper drama has confused bettors, sportsbooks

Mercifully, the finish line is here.

**MATT BURKE**

Matt Burke is a veteran sports journalist and the Founder and Editorial Director of MetroBet.

The Bryce Harper free agency saga is the worst drama since season 2 of "True Detective," but it has at least provided some entertainment over the past few months when it comes to betting futures. The most popular MLB bet outside of "Who will win the 2019 World Series?" this winter has easily been "Which team will Bryce Harper play on in 2019?"

Here are the odds from Wednesday afternoon:

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**Giants -150**
**Dodgers +125**
**Phillies +150**
**Cubs +4000**
**Braves +5000**

In other words, Vegas is pretty certain it's down to the Giants, Dodgers and Phillies.

Los Angeles and Philadelphia were actually two of the early favorites to land Harper's services, but look at how much the above list has changed over the past five months. This Harper odds list is from Oct. 4, 2018.

**Cubs EVEN**
**Dodgers +500**
**Phillies +550**
**Yankees +600**
**Nationals +700**
**Red Sox +1100**
**Angels +1200**
**Giants +1600**

It's also been interesting to monitor how much the 2019 World Series odds have changed over the past few months despite the best free agent available not having signed somewhere. Here were the Westgate Superbook odds on Oct. 22, 2018, to win the 2019 title.

**Astros 6/1**
**Red Sox 6/1**
**Dodgers 7/1**
**Yankees 7/1**
**Cubs 10/1**

The Phillies were actually quite low on this list, coming in with the 11th-best odds to win it all at 18/1. Those odds have jumped up to 14/1 and now the Phils have the eighth-best odds to win it all, according to Westgate.

**Yankees 6/1**
**Red Sox 7/1**
**Astros 6/1**
**Dodgers 7/1**
**Indians 10/1**
**Cardinals 12/1**
**Cubs 12/1**
**Nationals 12/1**
**Phillies 14/1**

**TWEET OF THE DAY**

**Lauren Joffe**
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**Ok so note to self and to everyone: Don't make bets when you're in the midst of a frustratingly bad day. It won't end well.**

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# Betting smart on the AAF

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Is Zach Mettenberger about to take the Alliance of American Football by storm?

That's an important question for sports bettors to ponder entering Week 4 of the league's inaugural season. Mettenberger, of the Memphis Express, is arguably better suited to dominate this league than any other AAF quarterback. Consider…

- He's 27 years old, very mature for a player in a "developmental" league.
- He's thrown 355 passes in the NFL in his career (all for the Tennessee Titans), which is extremely experienced for a developmental league QB. Many AAF quarterbacks are still finding the game is "too fast," even though rules forbid complicated blitz packages. The AAF is slower than what Mettenberger is used to.
- He sparkled last week after replacing Christian Hackenberg (who showed no signs of developing for another team that ran out of patience with him). Mettenberger was 9-12-0-120 with touchdown passes of 40 and 30 yards in a half of play vs. league power Orlando.

It's no sure thing that Zach is about to end the blues for 0-3 Memphis. But bettors must be alert to personnel changes and other on-the-fly developments throughout the league. It's risky to assume early success stories won't fall back to earth, or that bad teams won't make adjustments that will help them get better.

It's a good test right out of the gate for Mettenberger's first start. Memphis will be hosting San Diego (2-1, and playing stellar defense thus far) in the first game of the new weekend (BR/Live, 3 p.m. Saturday). That's followed by Orlando (3-0) at Salt Lake (1-2) (NFL Network, 7 p.m., Saturday), San Antonio (1-2) at Birmingham (3-0) (CBS Sports Network, 3 p.m., Sunday), and Atlanta (0-3) at Arizona (2-1) (NFL Network, 7 p.m., Sunday). **JEFF FOGLE**

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# Looking for value in the Honda Classic

Take a look at players who are strong out of the sand.

**BRADY KANNON**

Brady Kannon is a former Hilton SuperContest champion and is VSiN's golf betting expert.

The first portion of the 2019 PGA Tour golf season, the West Coast Swing, is complete and while this is a time for players to get their games in order after some time off, we now switch over to the other side of the country and kick off the Florida Swing. With eight weeks of play in the new year now in the rearview mirror, and just another seven weeks before the season's first major championship, the Masters, the shift for the players begins. It's now serious preparation for what lies ahead.

Our first stop in Florida will be this week's Honda Classic, taking place at PGA National in Palm Beach Gardens. The Honda Classic provides one of the most challenging tests the players will face on the entire Tour calendar. PGA National is a Par 70, designed by Tom & George Fazio. Jack Nicklaus has been brought in to tweak the layout on a couple of occasions since the original design has created a signature three-hole stretch — holes 15, 16 and 17, now known as the "Bear Trap." To illustrate the course's difficulty we have to look no further than the winning scores, which have reached double-digits only three times over the last 12 years.

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A player who is good out of the sand will be key this week.

### A favorite, a contender, and a long shot

**Adam Scott (16-1)**
Scotty skipped the WGC Mexico, so he'll be well rested as he kicks off the Florida Swing at PGA National, a course he's finished top 15 at in his last four visits, including a win in 2016. Scott has always been a top-notch ball striker and this year his putting has been uncharacteristically excellent, ranking 18th on Tour in Strokes Gained with the flat stick.

**Billy Horschel (30-1)**
The Florida Gator has always been a big fan of difficult courses and Bermuda greens, and his biggest strength as a player has always been ball striking. He missed the cut here last year but recorded two top 10 finishes in the two visits prior. He's 38th this season in Greens in Regulation and 64th in Scrambling.

**Lucas Glover (50-1)**
Like Horschel, Glover too has always been known as one of the circuit's finest ball strikers. He ranks 12th in Hole Proximity, sixth in Scrambling, and fourth in Par 4 scoring. He missed the cut on Bermuda greens in Phoenix earlier this month but otherwise hasn't had a finish on Tour worse than 17th since last October.

## Sports on TV Highlights

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| 7:00 pm | **NHL Hockey**<br>Toronto Maple Leafs vs. New York Islanders | ESPN+ |
| 8:00 pm | **NBA Basketball**<br>Philadelphia 76ers vs. Oklahoma City Thunder | TNT |
| 10:30 pm | **NBA Basketball**<br>Utah Jazz vs. Denver Nuggets | TNT |
| 11:00 pm | **Men's CBB**<br>Gonzaga Bulldogs vs. Pacific Boxers | ESPN 2 |

# Sixers and Flyers
## Thursday betting preview

The Sixers and Flyers will both be in action Thursday. Here is a betting preview of both games.

**Sixers at Thunder**
With the absence of Joel Embiid clearly taking a toll on the Sixers (2-1 straight-up since the All-Star break but 0-3 against the spread), the Over isn't as solid a play as a spread wager on the Thunder. As the host team this year, Oklahoma City typically scores 1.5 additional points per game and allows nearly a point less per contest. Opponent assist-to-turnover ratio drops from 1.5 overall to 1.36 at Chesapeake Energy Center. Paul George is much more efficient at home, too, as his 3-point field goal percentage is 44.2 compared to 35.9 percent on the road.

**The play:** Thunder -5.5

**Flyers at Blue Jackets**
The Blue Jackets (35-24-3) should pick up their fifth straight win over the Flyers (30-26-7) when they play host at Nationwide Arena on Thursday night. The Blue Jackets have generated the eighth-most shots in the league at home this year at 33.2 per game. Philly's defense, which has allowed 36.6 shots per game over its last 10 tilts, seems ill-equipped to handle this threat. Columbus went "all-in" at the deadline, particularly on offense, when they brought in centers Matt Duchene and Ryan Dzingel from the Senators.

**The play:** Blue Jackets -165

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# Report: Zhaire Smith scheduled to make pro debut with Blue Coats

The Sixers' first-round pick from this past summer's NBA draft has missed most of the season due to a foot injury and food allergy.

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It appears as if the Philadelphia 76ers will be able to see their first-round pick from this past summer's draft make his professional debut this week. According to Keith Pompey of the Philadelphia Inquirer, Zhaire Smith is scheduled to make his NBA G League debut with the Delaware Blue Coats on Friday.

The Blue Coats will be on the road as they take on the Maine Red Claws (Boston Celtics G League affiliate). Smith has missed most of his rookie season due to a Jones fracture, which he suffered over the summer at a development camp, along with a food allergy.

The former Texas Tech standout underwent a thoracoscopy in September due to the allergy, which caused him to lose a lot of weight.

After he got over both ailments, Smith continued to rehab and practice with the Sixers and the Blue Coats. Just last week, Sixers head coach Brett Brown was asked about the possibility of the 19-year-old joining the big league club.

"No, I don't [have a return date for him]. I don't know [if he plays this year]. It wasn't my expectation, and it still really isn't," Brown said, per Philly Voice. "

"But I think to see him move around with his teammates, from a human standpoint, was pretty cool. Is that going to translate to NBA games? I hope for sure we can get him in a G League environment, but that is still being advised to me."

The last time Smith played in a game was last July at the Las Vegas Summer League.

The 16th-overall pick averaged 7.7 points, 2.7 assists and 2.3 rebounds in 24.7 minutes per game in six summer league contests. Even though it was only a small sample size, you could see his potential, especially on the defensive end.

However, the Sixers will probably want to see what he can do offensively too in his stint with Delaware. The Sixers acquired Smith in a draft night trade with the Phoenix Suns in exchange for Mikal Bridges (No. 10 pick) and the Miami Heat's unprotected 2021 first-round pick.

B.J. Johnson (20) of the La Salle Explorers (left) and Tahjere McCall (5) of the Tennessee State Tigers. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

# Local players receive 10-day contracts from Hawks, Nets

With the NBA trade deadline in the rearview mirror and the buyout market coming to a screaming halt, many NBA teams now have a couple of open roster spots to sign a player from the NBA G League to either a two-way or 10-day contract.

In the cases of local players B.J. Johnson and Tahjere McCall, they finally got their call-up to the big leagues on Tuesday.

McCall, who played for the Long Island Nets (G League affiliate of Brooklyn Nets) over the last two seasons, was officially signed to a 10-day contract by Brooklyn on Tuesday.

Johnson, however, who is a rookie with the Lakeland Magic (G League affiliate of the Orlando Magic), will reportedly sign a 10-day contract with the Atlanta Hawks per Chris Vivlamore of Atlanta-Journal Constitution.

Johnson has flourished with Lakeland, playing well along Amile Jefferson and Troy Caupain, both players who have signed two-way contracts with Orlando.

In 37 games this season, the former La Salle University standout is averaging 14.8 points, 5.2 rebounds and 1.4 assists in 30 minutes per game. He is also shooting 47.2 percent from the field and 43.3 percent from three-point range on 4.3 attempts per game.

Before Johnson joined Lakeland, he was with the Orlando Magic for training camp. Orlando then waived him and assigned him to their G League affiliate.

A couple of months prior to joining the Magic, the former Lower Merion High School also spent some time with the Charlotte Hornets in the Las Vegas Summer League.

The 6-foot-7 guard had an outstanding final two seasons at La Salle, after transferring from Syracuse University. In his senior year, Johnson averaged a career-high 20.8 points, 8.3 rebounds and 1.3 steals in 35.2 minutes per games.

McCall, who went undrafted just like Johnson, has made the most of his opportunities in the G League. In his first two seasons with the Nets, the former Engineering and Science product has worked both on his offensive and defensive skills.

This season, the 6-foot-5, 190-pound guard is averaging 10.0 points, 3.7 rebounds, 2.4 assists, and 1.6 steals in 25.3 minutes per game. McCall has shown a willingness to put the ball on the floor and take the open jump shot when it is available, which is a vast improvement from his rookie season.

As a rookie, the former Tennessee State product averaged 9.1 points, 4.5 rebounds, 2.9 assists and 1.8 steals in 28.2 minutes per game.

Before joining the Nets, McCall played his college ball at both Niagara University and Tennessee State. The defensive-minded guard spent the first two years at Niagara and last two at Tennessee State.

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# Should the Eagles submit an offer for John Ross?

The 23-year-old wide receiver has not lived up to expectations in his first two seasons with the Cincinnati Bengals.

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This week, the NFL scouting combine is taking place at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, Indiana, giving all 32 teams a chance to evaluate over 300 draft prospects, but also shop current players on their roster.

Outside of the ongoing Antonio Brown trade rumors, there is reportedly another AFC North wide receiver who might be on the trading block and could be of interest to the Philadelphia Eagles.

Ian Rapoport of NFL Media reported on Tuesday that the Cincinnati Bengals are shopping former first-round pick John Ross. The 23-year-old wide receiver was drafted with the ninth-overall pick in the 2017 NFL Draft but has not lived up to expectations thus far.

However, Bengals director of player personnel Duke Tobin denied the rumors that they are trading Ross on Wednesday at the combine.

Regardless of the Bengals' public denial, they cannot deny that through two seasons, the speedster from the University of Washington has only played in 16 regular-season games. Ross missed most of his rookie season due to injury, but rebounded this past season with 21 receptions for 210 yards and seven touchdowns.

If the Bengals were to move Ross, one does wonder what they could get in return for him. At best, Cincinnati could get a Day 3 pick for Ross, especially with a draft class loaded with speedy/vertical threat wide receivers.

If this is the case, Philadelphia might want to consider reaching out to the Bengals. It is no secret that the Eagles lacked a vertical deep threat option within their offense this past season. Veteran wide receiver Mike Wallace was supposed to be that guy playing opposite of Alshon Jeffery but missed most of the regular season with a fractured fibula.

Then there's Shelton Gibson, who showed a lot of promise in the preseason but did not do much in the regular season.

With that being said, Philadelphia reportedly tried to remedy this issue at the trade deadline by offering a draft pick to the New York Jets for Robby Anderson.

The Jets declined the Eagles' offer, leading Philadelphia to trade a 2019 third-round draft pick for Golden Tate III. Nevertheless, the Eagles will have to figure out if Ross is worth trading for among other players they might want to trade for.

The Eagles reportedly worked out Ross during the 2017 NFL Draft process and even had quarterback Carson Wentz watch film of the wideout. However, do they feel that Ross is the same player they fell in love with a couple of years ago? Or can they find another deep threat either in free agency or the draft?

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16 Make well
17 Trawlers' needs
18 Emphasize
20 ...FDR, HST, __, JFK...
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22 __ drop of a hat; speedily
23 Hit the __; decline rapidly
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34 Hearing organ
36 BBQ favorites
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38 Singer Patti
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40 Place for rouge
41 Soldier's gun
42 "__ with a Kiss"; 1960s song
44 Exhaled audibly
45 Cruz or Shackelford
46 Herder's rope
47 Thespian
50 Salary
51 Fraternity letter
54 Covering completely
57 Look __; view
58 Michigan or Ontario
59 Twist or tango
60 Lowly laborer
61 "Bright __"; Shirley Temple film
62 Miles per hour
63 Performing __; ballet, opera, etc.

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2 Not up yet
3 Loathsome
4 Feminine ending
5 Fragments of glass
6 Steps
7 Asian staple
8 Suffix for meteor or graph
9 Clear liquor
10 Rude request for silence
11 Protein-rich food
12 Solemn promise
13 Merriment
19 Claw
21 Flat __; driver's woe
24 Small barrels
25 Accomplishment
26 Waterproof covering
27 "Bye, José!"
28 Bubble gum's color
29 Cicada's cousin
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32 Made fun of
33 Notice
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37 Get rid of
38 Swine
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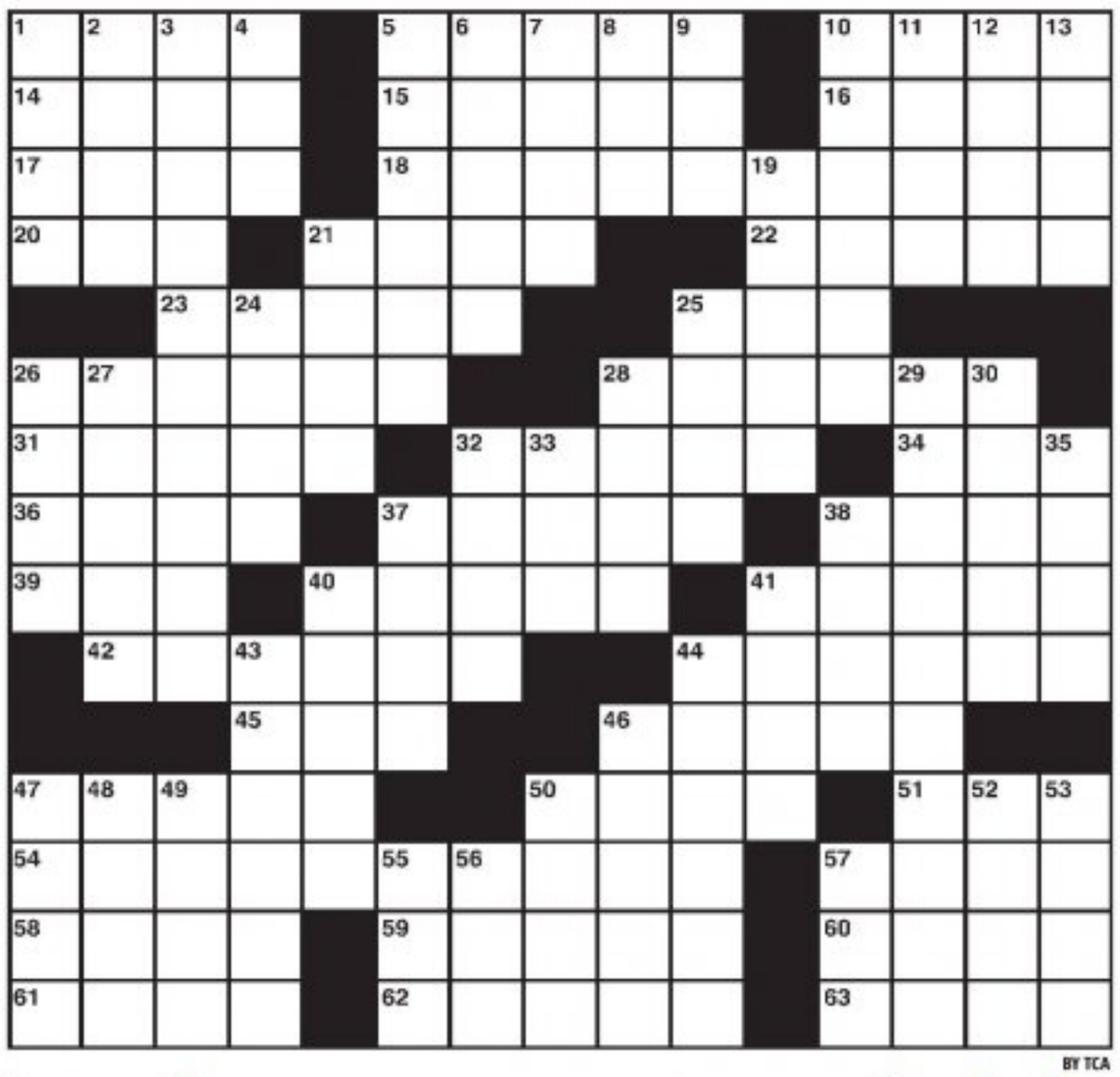

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